# Mountain Weather Forecast

## North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 01 Jul 2022 until 23:59 on Saturday 02 Jul 2022

Forecast Issued on Thursday 30 Jun 2022 at 15:16 by Met Office Aberdeen

**Confidence:** High for changeable conditions for the next few days. Low for extent of showers and low cloud on a daily basis.

**Headline for Friday 01 Jul 2022:** Mainly dry morning, afternoon heavy showers

**Mountain weather hazards on Friday 01 Jul 2022**

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|---|---|---|
| **Blizzards**<br>No Likelihood | **Heavy persistent snow**<br>No Likelihood | **Storm force winds**<br>No Likelihood |
| **Gales**<br>No Likelihood | **Severe chill effect**<br>No Likelihood | **Poor visibility**<br>Low Likelihood |
| **Thunderstorms**<br>Low Likelihood | **Heavy persistent rain**<br>Low Likelihood | **Strong sunlight**<br>Medium Likelihood |

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Partly cloudy (night) | Cloudy | Sunny intervals | Sunny intervals | Thundery showers | Heavy rain showers | Heavy rain showers | Cloudy |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 00% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 50% | 50% | 40% | 00% |

**Forecast for Friday 01 Jul 2022**

**Weather:** The morning will be mostly dry with clear or sunny periods. Often cloudy in the afternoon with scattered showers, some of these heavy with a risk of a thunderstorm. Showers will only slowly die out from the west in the evening.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 80%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Generally very good outside of showers. Cloud largely above summits, but lowering to 900 metres at times especially in or around showers.

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**Forecast for Friday 01 Jul 2022**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 8/11 SW | 5/7 W | 4/6 NW | 5/7 NW | 8/12 SW | 7/11 NW | 8/12 W | 9/12 SW | 11/15 S |
| **900** | 8/11 SW | 5/6 W | 4/6 W | 4/6 N | 8/12 W | 5/8 NW | 7/10 W | 8/11 SW | 10/13 S |
| **600** | 7/10 SW | 3/4 SW | 2/4 N | 2/4 NW | 6/10 W | 4/7 W | 5/9 SW | 4/7 S | 5/8 S |
| **300** | 3/9 SW | 2/7 SW | 2/6 W | 2/4 SW | 5/10 N | 4/8 N | 4/8 W | 2/4 SE | 2/6 SW |
| **Glen** | 2/8 SW | 2/4 SW | 2/4 S | 4/7 SW | 5/9 NW | 4/8 N | 4/10 NW | 2/5 W | 2/6 SW |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **1300** | 5/2 | 4/2 | 4/3 | 5/3 | 6/4 | 6/4 | 6/3 | 5/2 | 4/0 |
| **900** | 8/6 | 7/6 | 7/6 | 8/6 | 9/8 | 9/8 | 8/7 | 8/6 | 7/5 |
| **600** | 10/8 | 8/8 | 9/8 | 10/10 | 12/11 | 12/11 | 11/10 | 10/9 | 9/8 |
| **300** | 10/10 | 8/8 | 10/10 | 13/13 | 15/14 | 14/14 | 14/13 | 12/12 | 11/10 |
| **Glen** | 10/10 | 7/7 | 10/10 | 13/13 | 16/15 | 15/15 | 14/14 | 12/13 | 11/11 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 2100m | 2000m | 2000m | 2000m | 2000m | 2100m | 2100m | 2000m | 2000m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View**
Drenching conditions possible in afternoon showers with a risk of lightning.

**Forecast for Saturday 02 Jul 2022**
**Weather:** Cloudy and unsettled with showers or some longer spells of rain throughout the day. The southwest of the area may become drier as the afternoon progresses.

**Maximum wind:** Westerly 20 to 30 mph on the summits

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 60%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Poor in areas of cloud down to 600 metres at first in the south of the region, otherwise cloud mostly at 900 metres or above

**Temperature:** **Glens:** Plus 7 rising to 16 Celsius
**At 800m:** Plus 8 Celsius
**Freezing level:** Above summits

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